

Claims

1. A jellied pharmaceutical composition for oral administration, comprising a 5-HT₃ receptor antagonist, a gelatinizing agent, and water, and having a pH of 7 or less.
2. The pharmaceutical composition for oral administration according to claim 1, further comprising a reductant.
3. The pharmaceutical composition for oral administration according to claim 1 or 2, wherein the 5-HT₃ receptor antagonist is azasetron, granisetron, tropisetron, ramosetron or ondansetron, or an organic acid salt or inorganic acid salt thereof.
4. The pharmaceutical composition for oral administration according to claim 1 or 2, wherein the gelatinizing agent is carrageenan, pectin, agar, alginic acid, sodium alginate, gelatin, mannan, konjak, konjakmannan, glucomannan, chitosan, xanthan gum, tamarind seed polysaccharide, gellan gum, karaya gum or cassia gum, or a combination of two or more of them.
5. The pharmaceutical composition for oral administration according to claim 1 or 2, wherein
the gelatinizing agent includes carrageenan and the carrageenan is kappa (κ)-carrageenan and/or iota (ι)-carrageenan.

6. The pharmaceutical composition for oral administration according to claim 1 or 2, further comprising a thickener, wherein the thickener is locust bean gum, gum arabic, tragacanth, dextrin, dextran, arabinogalactan, pullulan, carmellose sodium, hydropropyl cellulose, hydroxyethyl methyl cellulose, methyl cellulose, carboxymethyl cellulose, copolydone, polyvinylpyrrolidone, carboxyvinyl polymer, sodium polyacrylate or macrogol, or a combination of two or more thereof.

7. The pharmaceutical composition for oral administration according to claim 1 or 2, further comprising a water-soluble salt of potassium or calcium.

8. A medicine for oral administration, including the pharmaceutical composition for oral administration according to any one of claims 1 to 7 and a light-blocking type container containing the pharmaceutical composition.